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SETTING UP OF TPP IN M.P.
ASHOK ARGAL

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether any scheme relating to setting up of Thermal Power Plant in Gwalior (Madhya Pradesh) has been approved;

(b) if so, whether any work has been started on the said scheme; and

(c) if not, the reasons for delay in implementation of the scheme?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) to (c) : Central Electricity Authority (CEA) have accorded Techno-EconomicClearance (TEC) for a 342 MW Combined Cycle Power Project at Bhander, Distt.Gwalior, (now in Distt. Datia) in Madhya Pradesh to be developed by M/s. BhanderPower Ltd. in March, 1998. However, due to non-availability of appropriate payment security mechanism from Madhya Pradesh State Electricity Board (MPSEB) to the project developer - the power project has been shelved for the present.